

## **Thesis: Reflecting upon the Africana Diaspora's (involuntary) Contributions to a Global Economy and Projecting upon the (voluntary) Insistence for Credit in the Global Prosperity of the New Millennium**

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**Abstract:**

Africa and the African Diaspora (past and present) have always contributed to the advancement of the global economy by means of involuntary dis-advancement in favor of America and Europe. The African slave trade and the Middle Passage funded the industrialization of Europe and America. The Black Migration in America and the British Windrush Era contributed greatly to the redevelopment of America and England during World War II and the Post World War II periods. Currently, Africa is contributing to the new Millennium (which engages techno-advancement) by supplying the world with mineral wealth.

Go-africanization may be a means to the realization of Africa's internal and external wealth and this may serve as means for Africans, not foreigners, to capitalize upon their own wealth.

This paper serves to reflect upon past contributions of Africa and the African Diaspora to the global economy. A projection forward will be provided for a means for Africa and the African Diaspora to reap the benefits of their labor in the global market of today.

